

#### **COPY OF PAPERS ORIGINALLY FILED**

**PATENTS** 

THE PRITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE RECEIVED

In re Application of:

D'Amato, et al.

Serial No. 09/899,702

Filed: July 5, 2001

For: ESTROGENIC COMPOUNDS AS
ANTIANGIOGENIC AGENTS

)

JUN 2 5 2002

TECH CENTER 1600/2900

Art Unit: 1616

Examiner: Qazi, S.

Marma

## AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO FIRST OFFICE ACTION

Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Sir:

Responsive to the Office Action mailed March 13, 2002 in the aboveidentified patent application, Applicants enter the following amendments and response.

### In the Specification

Please delete the second (2<sup>nd</sup>) full paragraph on page 15, lines 9-12, of the specification and replace it with the following paragraph:

b)  $R_a$  is -N<sub>3</sub>, -C $\equiv$ N, -C $\equiv$ C-R, -CH=CH-R, -R-CH=CH<sub>2</sub>, -C $\equiv$ CH, -O-R,

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being deposited with the United States Postal Service via First Class Mail to the attention of Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, DC 20231 on June 13, 2002.

David E. Wigley, Ph.D. - Reg. No. P52,362

TLLIB02 79252.1

09/25/2002 21:18 FAX



Attorneys at Law

September 25, 2002

Oleghan 200 SSha

Suite 2800 1100 Peachtree St.
Atlanta GA 30309-4530
404 815 6500 (404 815 6555
www.KilpatrickStockton.com

direct dial 404 745 2413 SShope@KilpatrickStockton.com

#### **FAX**

RECIPIENT/ PHONE NO.	FAX NO.	COMPANY/ CITY, STATE
Examiner Qazi (703) 305-3910	(703) 746-3132	U.S. Patent and Trademark Office Arlington, VA

Suzanne Seavello Shope (3287) FROM	19 PAGES (WITH COVER)
05213-0910 REFERENCE NO	43170-260981

# PLEASE CALL 404-745-2413 IF YOU HAVE DIFFICULTY WITH THIS TRANSMISSION.

#### CONFIDENTIALITY NOTE:

The information contained in this fax message is being transmitted to and is intended for the use of the individual named above. If the reader of this message is not the intended recipient, you are hereby advised that any dissemination, distribution or copy of this fax is strictly prohibited. If you have received this fax in error, please immediately notify us by telephone and destroy this fax message.

COMMENTS

£)

TO BE COMPLETED BY KS OPERA	TIONS CENTER
TRANSMISSION RECEIPT DATE/TIME:	
COMPLETED BY:	JOB CODE